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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

LONDON, December 15.

By letters from St. Peterſburgh, of the 9th and 20th of November, we receive the declaration of the Imperial Court of Ruſſia to the Courts of Europe, upon the arreſt of its Miniſter, Reſident at Conſtantinople.

HER Imperial Majeſty, in taking a part in the tranſactions of the Republic of Poland, as humanity on one ſide, and the obligations of her Crown on the other, had prompted her, was no leſs careful to conduct herſelf in ſuch a manner, as not to give any umbrage to a jealous and powerful neighbour: Every part of her conduct was public, and ſhe had likewiſe a particular attention to communicate, in confidence to the Ottoman Porte, her reſolutions upon every ſtep ſhe took, and the conduct ſhe intended to obſerve till the peace and tranquility of that kingdom was entirely re-eſtabliſhed. But the enemies to the peace of theſe two Empires, were not wanting to blacken at the Porte all the actions of her Imperial Majeſty, and to ſow there the ſeeds of diſcord, by the moſt falſe imputations. The Porte, reſtrained by the upright conduct the Court of Ruſſia continued to maintain towards them, liſtened, but it was with caution, to the calumny that was ſpread. Some attention to the affairs of Poland, and an impartial examination of what Ruſſia had done, compared with the overtures made by that Court at the Porte, had diſpelled all ſuſpicion, and the public tranquility ſeemed to be no more threatened. The common enemies, however, repeated their inſinuations with more rage and audacity than ever, to impoſe upon the credulity of the Turkiſh nation, and infuſed a ſpirit of diſcontent among them, which called for the notice of government, for it had forced its way even into the Seraglio. The change in the Miniſtry, brought about by theſe events, ſoon produced a revolution in the ſyſtem of peace, equally dear to both nations. The new Vizir, upon his advancement, immediately ſent for M. Obreſkow, her Imperial Majeſty's Reſident at the Porte, and after having cauſed to be read in his preſence a declaration, full of heavy charges againſt his Court, part of which had already been invalidated by the moſt fair and candid explanations, and others that had never exiſted, or were ever thought of, the Vizir preſſed him to ſign immediately, under the guaranty of the allies of his Sovereign, ſome very offenſive conditions, in regard to which there never had been made the leaſt propoſal, during the whole courſe of the operations in Poland. Theſe conditions, very derogatory to the honour and glory of an Empreſs accuſtomed to receive no law, propoſed in a tone and form repugnant to the freedom of negotiation adopted by every power, were attended by the alternative of an immediate rupture of the perpetual peace between the two empires. The Ruſſian Miniſter, confident of the upright intentions of his Court, and conſcious of the probity of his own conduct, as having fulfilled the duties of a long Miniſtry, was incapable of unworthily committing his Court and his own character by a humiliating engagement, and which would have exceeded the power and commiſſion of any Miniſter, let them be ever ſo extenſive; he gave therefore a poſitive refuſal, as became his honour and his duty---and the reſolution of the Divan, which followed immediately after, was to arreſt him, and part of his retinue, and carry him to the Caſtle of the Seven Towers.---It would be needleſs for the Imperial Court of Ruſſia to dwell any longer upon this event, or to enter here into an examination of it. The fact ſpeaks for itſelf. The honour and glory of her Imperial Majeſty---the regard to her Empire, point out the part it is right for her to take. Confiding in the juſtice of her cauſe, ſhe appeals to all Chriſtian Courts, on the ſituation ſhe finds herſelf in with regard to the common enemy of Chriſtianity, certain as ſhe is, that her conduct will meet with equal approbation from each of them, and that ſhe ſhall have the advantage to join to the Divine Protection, the juſt aſſiſtance of her friends, and the good wiſhes of all Chriſtendom."

December 22.

A little before the preſent lottery began drawing, a foreign Gentleman came to England, and brought with him a very agreeable female Negroe girl, about 17 *years of age, but through the narrowneſs of his circumſtances, he was obliged to ſell his ſlave for* 30 *guineas; with part of which he purchaſed a lottery ticket, ſince drawn a prize of* 5000 *l. and he has ſince re-purchaſed the girl, made her free, and ſettled on her an annuity for her life.*

A morning paper ſays, that at the General Court of the India Company held yeſterday, it appeared, that a very extraordinary ſtep had been taken, in order to conceal the preſent brilliant ſtate of the Company's affairs, viz. the ſecreting the ſum of 1,200,000*l.* from the annual account of the Company, made up to June laſt. This manœuvre, when diſcovered, afforded no ſmall diverſion to the Proprietors, eſpecially as the excuſe made for this pious fraud was, that it was done with the beſt intention poſſible, that of not letting government into the true ſtate of the Company's affairs, leſt they ſhould *ſqueeze the Company*;---the truth however came out, which, in few words, is, that (notwithſtanding common-place complaints of bad ſales, ſimple contract debts, &c.) the Company has been going on for three years paſt in the accumulation of one million three hundred thouſand pounds per annum, excluſive of the ſums paid to government, and the augmentation of dividend; ſo that the Proprietors have this conſolation at leaſt, that if they have not been allowed two and a half per cent. more than their preſent dividend, they have nevertheleſs been laying up, ever ſince the acquiſition of the Dewanny, forty per cent. per ann. an accumulation, which, in the twelve unexpired years of the charter, would leave the Company the trifling capital of twenty millions.

A gentleman at a coffee-houſe in Fleet-ſtreet, on the evening of the riot at Brentford, was ſaying, that he thought Serjeant Glynn's friends would not *ſtand the Poll out:* "How the Devil ſhould they (cried another) when they are *knocked down* by hundreds."

The dreadful fire that happened at Rocheſter, was occaſioned by a Brewer's drunken ſervant, who took it into his head to hang his wife, and ſet his houſe on fire: The firſt part of this helliſh project was prevented, by his wife's making her eſcape; the latter he accompliſhed, by burning his own houſe, and a dozen more.

It is ſaid, that from what paſſed at the India Court yeſterday, it appears that the India Company have already profited by their territorial acquiſitions more than five millions ſterling, for they have diſcharged in Bengal bond debts to the amount of 700,000 *l. they have allowed increaſe of their annual accounts* 1,600,000 *l. they have remaining in the different treaſuries of Bengal* 800,000 *l. they have at Madraſs* 140,000 *l. they have* 200,000 *l. in China; they have paid off in England* 1,000,000 *l. Total* 5,640,000 *l. Excluſive of this, they have their warehouſes full of goods, their homeward and outward-bound ſhips richly laden, and they have juſt acquired the Dewanny of the Myſore Country and Balagat Carnatic; an acquiſition which is variouſly repreſented, ſome ſtating it at three millions annually, and others at no more than two.*

December 24.

The County of Middleſex have received a greater honour, and done more real ſervice to their country, by their late choice, than ever happened before, as was fully evinced on a recent occaſion; where no man was ever ſpoken of with greater honour, for integrity, ability, learning, veracity, candour, and all the mental qualifications that human nature can poſſeſs, than Mr. Glynn, which, it is hoped, will ever be remembered; eſpecially as this amiable character was depicted by a n-------n, who inherently poſſeſſes all thoſe extraordinary qualities, with which he ſo nobly and ſpontaneouſly diſtinguiſhed Mr. Serjeant Glynn.

Sunday laſt the Earl Temple paid a viſit to the Earl of Chatham at Hayes, who is greatly recovered from his late indiſpoſition.

We hear that a popular Gentleman has been long ſince a Member of one of our Inns of Court, and that, after the proper term of probation, he propoſes to aſſume the long robe.

Letters from Turky mention, that the Malecontents of Poland having made an offer to the Grand Signor of a part of Podolia and Volhinia, on the ſame footing as Moldavia, the arrangements taken thereon were pretty far advanced, and that the Porte was juſt on the point of publiſhing a declaration on the ſubject.

We hear that the writs of error, that were to have been heard yeſterday, were poſtponed by the party's petition, on account of the indiſpoſition of Mr. Serjeant Glynn.

We hear from Corſica, that the French viſit all ſhips that are drove on the coaſts of that iſland, but they don't moleſt them, as was reported. This ſearch has no object but to hinder the Malecontents from being ſupplied with warlike ſtores from foreign nations.

It was the other day the debate, at a coffee-houſe, whether a certain gentleman did not, for ſomething he had lately written, deſerve to be committed to Newgate? "No (ſays a perſon preſent) I am for no ſuch *barſh* uſage; I am for more *lenitive* treatment: Let him be committed to Bedlam, and denied the uſe of pen, ink, and paper.

Letters from Paris, dated December 12, ſay, "The King of Denmark has made a preſent to the Duke de Duras of his portrait, enriched with diamonds, which are valued at above 200,000 francs. His Majeſty alſo made preſents of gold boxes, and other valuables, to the Directors of the ſeveral Manufactories, which he went to view, to Poets who had addreſſed verſes to him, to Authors who had dedicated Works, and to renowned Artiſts; and alſo to the celebrated Actors and Actreſſes, who had performed before him; for each performance his Majeſty was preſent at, he ſent a thouſand crowns. In one word, his Majeſty's munificence exceeded the moſt ſanguine expectations. The day of his departure a great concourſe of people ſurrounded his hotel, to wiſh him a happy journey, with acclamations of "Long live the King of Denmark;" he ſhewed himſelf ſeveral times to the people, ſaluting them with the greateſt affability. The fiſhwomen, who did homage to his Majeſty on his arrival, have been to pay him their eloquent adieus; when one of the handſomeſt offering him a noſegay, requeſted the ſingular favour of ſaluting him, and he was pleaſed to turn his cheek to her; he gave them ten or a dozen louiſdores, and diſtributed as many more among the poor on his ſetting out."

It is reported that ſome recent inſtances of American oppoſition to the meaſures of government, have occaſioned a reſolution to keep a naval force upon the coaſt ſome time.

It is the general opinion, that that truly honourable title, "THE GREAT COMMONER," will very ſoon be beſtowed on Mr. Serjeant Glynn, by the public voice.

Yeſterday the Commiſſioners of the Navy contracted for 400 tons of ſhipping, to be employed in the tranſport ſervice, to carry naval and victualling ſtores to his Majeſty's garriſons of Gibraltar and Port Mahon.

December 27.

We hear that a motion will be made, at the next Court of Common Council, that a congratulatory letter of thanks from the Corporation, be ſent to the Freeholders of Middleſex, for their noble and ſpirited conduct in electing Mr. Serjeant Glynn.

We alſo hear, that inſtructions from the Freeholders of Middleſex will ſpeedily be given to their members.

Extract of a Letter from Algiers, Nov. 12.

"On the 12th of October a Spaniſh ſquadron of four ſail of men of war, one of 80 guns, two of 70 and 74 guns, and a large frigate, caſt anchor in this Bay.

"Under the pretence of carrying on a ranſom for ſlaves, the directors of the expedition endeavoured to negotiate a peace with the Regency. The Dey had only agreed to ranſom 600 Turks. This ſquadron brought all the Turks and Moors detained in ſlavery in Spain, to the amount of 2200 perſons.

"The Negotiators offered to buy with money all the Spaniards in private hands, not agreed for in the exchange; and to give the 600 Turks and Moors remaining gratis; however, notwithſtanding theſe propoſitions, which became an almoſt univerſal douceur, and though ſupported alſo by the mediation and aſſiſtance of the Emperor of Morocco, the plan failed, and ended in a very partial redemption.

"This ſquadron, which was not meant to act in a military capacity, but rather deſigned to ſave the expence of other tranſportation, ſailed the 6th of November.

"The 9th of November the Dey was very near being murdered, during the time of paying the ſoldiers (a ceremony which happens every two months, and where the Dey muſt be preſent in perſon) by one of the old ſoldiers, who, having loſt an arm in the ſervice, and being, beſides, reverend with grey hairs, nobody ſuſpected him. The aſſaſſin, ſtepping up to the Dey, drew his piſtol, which miſſing fire, he drew his artagan, or ſhort ſword, and made ſuch a blow at the Dey, that had not his large turban of muſlin received the weight of it, it would certainly have put an end to his life.---The bye-ſtanders, whether to maſk their zeal, or prevent the inveſtigating facts relative to an unſucceſsful affair, cut the old Turk inſtantly in pieces."

It is ſaid that when her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Dowager of Wales accompanies their Majeſties next ſummer to Hanover, ſhe will retire to Zell, which place her Royal Highneſs propoſes to make her future reſidence, and will not return again to England.

BOULTING-CLOTHS,

A freſh Aſſortment of ſuperfine, fine, middling, and coarſe,

To be SOLD by

ROBERT and NATHANIEL LEWIS,

At their STORE, near the DRAWBRIDGE,

WHERE Millers, and Others, may be ſupplied, on reaſonable Terms, with Cloths of the beſt Quality, ſuitable to every Branch of the Boulting Buſineſs.---And thoſe who are unacquainted therein, may depend on having proper Directions for affixing them to the moſt Advantage.

They have alſo a few Pair of Cologne MILL-STONES, of various Dimenſions, to diſpoſe of. Tbc. 3 M.

Philadelphia, March 9, 1769.

TO BE SOLD,

THE famous Horſe NORTHUMBERLAND, bred by Lord Mazareen, in Ireland, and got by Old England, Son to the Godolphin Arabian, and own Brother to his Grace the Duke of Ancaſter's famous Stallion Blank, Sire to Lottery, his Dam by Mr. Panton's noted Crab, his Grandam by Old Partner, which was Mr. Panton's famous Witherington Mare, his Dam was alſo the Dam of Ferdinand, high bred Froſtyface, and Mercury, and own Siſter to Sheppard's Crab.---Northumberland is 15 Hands high, ſtrong, boney and beautiful, he won with Eaſe the 100 l. Purſe at Philadelphia, in October laſt, and 3 Weeks after won a Subſcription Purſe, beating over the New-Market Courſe, on Hampſtead Plains, ſome very capital Racers.---For Terms of Sale, apply to Benjamin Fuller, Randle Mitchell, John Pringle, James Craig, and John Boyle, Aſſignees to the Creditors of Meſſieurs Orr, Dunlope, and Glenholme.-----The Aſſignees deſire thoſe indebted to ſaid Company, to ſettle their reſpective Accounts with them, as ſoon as poſſible, to prevent further Trouble; and thoſe who have any Demands againſt ſaid Company, are deſired to furniſh the Aſſignees with their Accounts.

To be SOLD, on Wedneſday, the 4th of April next, at public Vendue, on the Premiſes, or at any Time before, at private Sale,

A HOUSE, and LOT of GROUND, in Princetown; the Houſe is of one Story, and almoſt new, and has four Rooms, with a Kitchen, and a Cellar under Part of it; the Lot conſiſts of about Half an Acre, and has a Well ſunk in it.---The Situation is very convenient for a Tradeſman.----Good Bonds, on Intereſt, with proper Security, will be as acceptable as the Caſh, and an indiſputable Title given by

WILLIAM TENNENT.

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE, on Monday, the Firſt Day of May next, at the London Coffee-Houſe, at 6 o'Clock in the Evening,

A CERTAIN Brick two Story Houſe, and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Weſt Side of Fifth-ſtreet from Delaware River, and between Mulberry and Saſſafras Streets, in Philadelphia, containing in Breadth, on Fifth-ſtreet, 56 Feet, and in Length or Depth, on Saſſafras or Race-ſtreet, 80 Feet; bounded Eaſtward with Fifth-ſtreet, Northward with Race-ſtreet, Weſtward with a 10 Foot Alley, to be leſt open for ever, and Southward with Ground of Caleb and Joſhua Creſſon; ſubject to the yearly Groundrent of 40 Spaniſh milled Dollars, or Pieces of 8; late the Eſtate of Jacob Kaiſor, of this City, Taylor. For further Particulars, enquire of

WILLING and TOD, Aſſignees.

To be SOLD, by public vendue, on Tueſday, the 4th of April, on the premiſes, for the benefit of the creditors of William Imlay,

ALL his real eſtate, conſiſting of ſundry houſes and lots in Bordentown, Burlington county, Weſt-Jerſey, viz. One lot of ground, containing one acre, on which is erected a large two ſtory brick houſe and kitchen, a large pork-houſe, ſmoke-houſe, fat-houſe, cooper's ſhop, barn, ſtable, chair and hay-houſe; the houſe is ſituate on the main ſtreet, and is well calculated for a ſtore, and convenient for barrelling pork, &c.---Alſo one other lot, on which is erected a two ſtory brick houſe and kitchen, and a good young orchard, of choice graſted trees, on the ſame.----Alſo one lot, containing one fifth of an acre, with a frame dwelling-houſe thereon.----Alſo two other lots of ground, containing one fifth of an acre each.----Alſo about 20 acres of woodland, near the ſaid town. At the ſame time will be ſold, cedar tubs for curing gammons, iron pots, a large iron boiler, a parcel of pork barrels, cooper's tools, ſcales and weights, a fiſhing net and boats, and one black walnut ſcruitore. Attendance will be given by JOHN IMLAY, HENRY DRINKER, and CLEMENT BIDDLE, Aſſignees.

Likewiſe will be ſold, on the ſame day, if not ſold at private ſale before, one other lot of ground, ſituate in Bordentown aforeſaid, fronting the two main ſtreets, containing one acre, on which is erected a commodious two ſtory brick houſe, well built, and compleatly finiſhed, a two ſtory brick kitchen, with a ſeparate apartment for ſervants, a good well in the yard, and pump in the ſame, a very good garden, ſtable, chair and hay-houſe; the dwelling-houſe is pleaſantly ſituated, and commands an agreeable proſpect of the river Delaware, and in every reſpect is calculated for a gentleman's country ſeat.----Alſo will be ſold, with or without the abovementioned houſe and lot, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers, 130 acres of good land, about 3-qrs of a mile from the town, 60 acres are cleared, and in good fence, on which is a flouriſhing young orchard, of choice grafted fruit, about 9 acres of good mowing ground, the remaining part is woodland.

Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may have time to pay the purchaſe money, paying intereſt. For further particulars, enquire of Mr. Clement Biddle, of Philadelphia, or John Imlay, on the premiſes. 4 W.

To be SOLD, by public Vendue, at the London Coffee-Houſe, on Saturday, the 18th of March, at Twelve o' Clock,

A FEW FAMILY MEDICINE CHESTS, containing a compleat Aſſortment of Medicines, ready prepared for immediate Uſe, with proper Directions.---- The Whole curiouſly and commodiouſly diſpoſed, either for Families living at a Diſtance from a Phyſician, or for Country Practitioners. The Medicines may be depended on as genuine, and good of their ſeveral Kinds.----A Liſt of Contents may be ſeen at the Coffee-Houſe.

[*For more new Advertiſements, ſee the* ˜ *b Page.*]

From the Frontiers of RUSSIA, *December* 14.

HOSTILITIES are already begun on the Boriſthenes, or Nieper, which the Tartars have paſſed, and, together with the Confederates, have entered Poland, where they plunder the country without mercy.

Confines of Poland, Dec. 16. According to our advices from Tranſilvania, the Turks continue advancing their artillery, ammunition, and proviſions, towards Poland. The troops which come from the interior parts of the Ottoman States, are badly diſciplined, and worſe armed.

Warſaw, Dec. 16. The Confederates of the Sieur Malczewſky fell the 4th inſt. upon the little town of Zirke, near the Wartha, and demanded of the inhabitants a contribution of 20,000 florins, beſides all the corn and forage they took away with them; but the adminiſtrator having, not long before their arrival, carried off all the caſh to Drieſſen, theſe malecontents deſtroyed the caſtle, and moſt of the houſes, and in revenge for having miſſed their prey, they maſſacred ſeveral of the unfortunate inhabitants.

Leghorn, Dec. 9. We are informed that the Corſicans have lately taken a French Tartan, on the coaſt of Iſola Roſſa.

LONDON.

Dec. 20. It is reported that a certain Court, being required to give an explanation with Regard to their Proceedings with Corſica, the Miniſter received for anſwer, "You had better attend to your own buſineſs at home, and prevent your Windows from being broken, when you gratify the Humour of the Populace, by illuminating them, than concern yourſelves with the affairs of another Prince and his ſubjects, as theſe People NOW ARE, by the Ceſſion from their former Sovereigns. "Certainly his Court, if any ſuch Thing was ſaid, did not depend on, or allude to the trifling Diſturbances that are paſt; but on the Diviſions and Troubles which they expected would be raiſed by future Means; poſſibly at that Time concerted and reſolved on, and ſince executed.

Dec. 24. The Empreſs of Ruſſia's declaration of war againſt the Turks has already appeared in Poland, where fifty thouſand troops are ſpeedily expected from Finland, Ingermania, and Livonia, beſides twenty thouſand Calmucks.

Letters from Warſaw, dated the 7th of Dec. are filled with the accounts of the enormities committed by the Confederates in Great Poland; they have been lately joined by a body of Tartars, and a detachment of them have fallen upon the eſtate of Mr. Gyzick, at Wyſſegrod, which after pillaging, they murdered that gentleman, and all his Tennants and Domeſticks.

According to letters from Leghorn, General Paoli has now a number of Scotch Highlanders in his pay, ſeveral of whom had ſerved in the laſt war.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, Dec. 16.

"It is aſſured that his Daniſh Majeſty has made a preſent to the King of a regiment of cavalry, which is to be called the Royal Danes; upon condition that the Duke de Duras and his deſcendants ſhall always be Colonels of it. There are two precedents of the ſame kind in the families of Noailles and Beauffremont."

We hear that Prince William Henry, and the Princeſs Royal, have both had the Small-pox in the moſt favourable manner, and are judged to be out of danger.

A letter from the Confines of Poland, dated Dec. 9, ſays, "We learn from Caminiec, that the Turks and Tartars have orders to retire from the frontiers of Moldavia, and Walachia, probably, in order to go into winter quarters."

Dec. 29. The General Court of the Eaſt-India Company laſt Wedneſday was held, to conſider ſome advices of the ſtate of their concerns in ſeveral parts of the company's ſettlements, and alſo the conſideration of ſome propoſals made by the Directors to the Board of Treaſury, and the anſwers of that Board to them. The principal matters were, an offer of 400,000 l. for five years, in conſideration of waving any claim to the territorial revenues of the Company in Aſia, and on an implied condition, that the reſtriction on the dividend ſhould be enlarged to twelve and an half per cent. with the limitation, that not more than one per cent. advance be made in one year. The ſenſe of the Court, as far as could be gathered from the debates, and other appearances, ſeemed to be againſt concurring with the propoſals; but the farther conſideration was adjourned till that day fortnight.

The term of two years, for which the India Company paid the government 800,000 l. to avoid any diſcuſſion of the claim of the Crown to the revenue accruing from their Aſiatic dominions, being expired, there is great reaſon to believe, that their affairs will occaſion great ſpeculation and diſpute. Their negociations with the Miniſtry will not only be attended with great difficulty, but beſides, the two parties are ſtruggling for the Directorſhip; the Directors themſelves are now engaged in warm diſputes reſpecting their meaſures.

A very favourite Toaſt among the Freeholders of Middleſex, is, "May the HORNE of Freedom gore the Vitals of Slavery!"

A morning paper ſays, Thurſday laſt Miſs Gardiner, only daughter of Frederic Gardiner, Eſq; of Bloſſom Hall, in Wiltſhire, being dreadfully frightened by a bull, was ſo ſtrangely affected, that in the ſpace of four hours her hair, which was of a fine brown, became as grey as that of a perſon of 80 years of age.

Some letters from Copenhagen mention, that his Daniſh Majeſty has iſſued orders for his navy to be put upon a reſpectable footing, the regiſter of ſeamen to be augmented, and ſeveral more men of war to be built in the different ports of the kingdom.

A letter from the Hague, dated December 22, ſays, "Our laſt diſpatches from Paris import, that Mehemet Bey, appointed Envoy Extraordinary from the Regency of Tripoli to the States General, is ſtill at Paris, and that his long ſtay there occaſions a belief that he is charged with a Commiſſion at that Court."

Dec. 31. The King of the Two Sicilies has iſſued a circular letter to the Biſhops of that kingdom, whereby they are ſtrictly enjoined to forbid all foreign eccleſiaſticks from performing any miſſions, or other ſpiritual exerciſes, within his dominions. The motives for this letter are undoubtedly the apprehenſions his Majeſty is under, that in his preſent diſpute with the Pope, ſome of theſe foreign emiſſaries may endeavour to avail themſelves of an opportunity, under theſe holy pretences, of exciting a ſpirit of inſurrection among his ſubjects.

Their Royal Highneſſes Prince William Henry, and the Princeſs Royal, are both ſo well recovered of the ſmall-pox, as to be able to take an airing with their Majeſties to Kew this day.

Jan. 3. A Clergyman, greatly in the intereſt of Mr. Wilkes, being at the Coffee-houſe near St. Paul's on Saturday, a Gentleman preſent took that opportunity to ſay aloud, that if Mr. Wilkes was choſen an Alderman, one of the Court would appear no more in the City, but reſign his gown: On this the Prieſt anſwered, "The Public will ſuſtain no great loſs by ſuch a ſtep, as a Gentleman with twice his capacity, and thrice his fortune, is ready to take his place, as ſoon as ever an opportunity offers."

The Sieurs Horrebow and Butzow, two celebrated Aſtronomers, are ſet out from Copenhagen for Wardhous, at the expence of his Daniſh Majeſty, in order to obſerve at the latter of thoſe places, the Paſſage of Venus over the Sun's Diſk.

Several foreign agents have arrived here within theſe few days, with commiſſions to buy up Engliſh horſes.

Letters from Corſica, dated December 4, bring no material advices; the French ſeemed inclined to continue quietly in their winter quarters; and the Marquis de Chauvelin was dangerouſly ill of a violent quinſey, for which he had been bliſtered, but little hope of his recovery.

Jan. 5. When the officers of the ancient Lumber Troop waited on Mr. Wilkes, to accept the honour of his becoming one of their Comrades, the Colonel, on his inveſting him (being one of their ceremonies) with a ſtar and ribband, very politely informed him, it was a faint emblem of what true merit was ſometimes rewarded with in reality: Mr. Wilkes's anſwer was, that he received it with the utmoſt pleaſure and ſatisfaction, being conferred on him by the hands of citizens; but never would accept an honour of that nature from any other whatſoever.

They write from Copenhagen, that a camp is to be formed in the neighbourhood of that City early in the Spring.

A letter from Paris, dated Dec. 23, ſays, "We learn from Brittany, that the three orders who compoſe the ſtates of that Province, have unanimouſly agreed to grant the King a Free Gift."

A Correſpondent at Bath informs us, that an Officer there took an opportunity lately, in the hearing of a Lady pretty nearly related to Mr. Wilkes, to ſpeak of that Gentleman in a diſreſpectful virulent manner, and concluded with ſaying, D--- him, I wiſh I had his head." To which the Lady replied, with a very ſignificant emphaſis, "I wiſh, Sir, you had but half *his head." What do you mean by that, Madam, returned the Officer?----"Becauſe (replied the Lady) you would not then, Sir, have rendered yourſelf ſo ridiculous as to calumniate an abſent man, who, notwithſtanding the aſperſions you have ſcandalouſly thrown out againſt him, is greatly above being guilty of ſo mean, ſo unmanly an act."*

Jan. 7. *Letters from Warſaw, dated Dec.* 15, *ſay,* "*The Confederates of Great Poland have made an invaſion on the lands of the Prince Primate, and committed great violences there; but they found only* 2000 *rix dollars in ſpecie, which they carried off with them.*"

Mr. Landcake, the greateſt artiſt this nation ever had in drawing and cutting of patterns for the Callico Printers, is engaged, and now in France, near Paris, in the ſervice of the Duke de Choiſeul, the Prime Miniſter, who is eſtabliſhing a moſt extenſive manufactory in that way.

A certain great man, we are told, mentioned at a particular meeting lately, that he had hit upon a ſcheme for ſubduing the ſpirit of the people; to which a much greater man replied, That he had better have deviſed a plan for ſubduing corruption and venality among the Great, and endeavour to conciliate the affections of the people.

Jan. 12. The King of Denmark, who was not expected at Altena till the 6th inſt. arrived there the 2d, his Majeſty, it is ſuppoſed, having accelerated his return to his capital, in order to be more at hand to hear of the important affairs tranſacting in Sweden, where ſeems to be a great difference between the King and Senate.

According to letters from Conſtantinople, the Grand Signor has ordered all the Turkiſh caſtles and garriſons on both ſides the Propontis to be fortified and augmented.

On Saturday laſt an expreſs arrived from the Court of Berlin, which occaſions much ſpeculation.

The Trial ſloop of war is ſailed from Plymouth with Governor Elliott on board for Florida.

BOSTON, *February* 27.

At a Meeting of the Selectmen, February 16, 1769, *Preſent,* Joſhua Henſhaw, Joſeph Jackſon, John Ruddock, John Hancock, John Rowe, Samuel Pemberton, *Eſquires, Mr.* Henderſon Inches.

Voted unanimouſly, That the following Addreſs be preſented His Excellency FRANCIS BERNARD, Eſq;

May it pleaſe your EXCELLENCY,

AT a Time, when artful and miſchievous Men have ſo far prevailed, as to foment and ſpread Diviſions in the Britiſh Empire: When mutual Confidence, which had ſo long ſubſiſted, with mutual Advantage between the Subjects in Britain and America, is in a great Meaſure broken: When Means are at length found, even to excite the Reſentment of the Mother State againſt her Colonies; and they are publicly charged with being in a State of Diſobedience to Law, and ready to reſiſt the conſtitutional Authority of the Nation: The Selectmen of this Metropolis, cannot be the unconcerned or ſilent Spectators of the Calamities, which in Conſequence thereof have already fallen upon its Inhabitants.

To behold this Town ſurrounded with Ships of War; and military Troops, even in a Time of Peace, quartered in its very Bowels: Exerciſing a Diſcipline, with all the Severity which is uſed in a Garriſon, and in a State of actual War, is truly alarming to a free People. And what ſtill heightens the Misfortune is, that our Gracious Sovereign and his Miniſters, have formed ſuch an Idea of the preſent State of the Town, as to induce a Neceſſity of this naval and military Force, for the Aid of the Civil Magiſtrate, in the Preſervation of its Peace and good Order.

Your Excellency can witneſs for the Town, that no ſuch Aid is neceſſary: Loyalty to the Sovereign, and an inflexible Zeal for the Support of His Majeſty's Authority, and the happy Conſtitution, is its juſt Character: And we may appeal to the impartial World, that Peace and Order were better maintained in the Town, before it was even rumoured that His Majeſty's Troops were to be quartered among us, than they have been ſince. Such a Meaſure then we are perſuaded, would never have been ordered by the Wiſdom of the Britiſh Adminiſtration, had not the Neceſſity of it been drawn from the Repreſentations of ſome of His Majeſty's Servants in this Province.

Your Excellency will allow us to expreſs our Opinion, that the public Tranſactions of the Town, and the Behaviour of ſome of its individual Inhabitants, have been greatly miſapprehended by His Majeſty's Miniſters.

We therefore, in Duty to the Town we have the Honour to ſerve, reſpectfully wait on your Excellency; and pray that you would be pleaſed to communicate to us ſuch Repreſentations *of Facts only* as you have judged proper to make ſince the Commencement of the laſt Year. And as there is a prevailing Report, that Depoſitions are and have been taken *ex parte*, to the Prejudice of the Town and particular Perſons, may we not aſſure ourſelves that your Excellency will, in Juſtice, cauſe to be laid before us, ſuch other Repreſentations as may have come to your Knowledge; that the Town knowing clearly and precifely what has been alledged againſt it, may have an Opportunity of vindicating itſelf. Atteſt.

WILLIAM COOPER, *Town-Clerk.*

The foregoing Addreſs was accordingly preſented his Excellency by the Selectmen of the Town laſt Friday Morning, and on Saturday Afternoon his Excellency was pleaſed to return the following Anſwer.

GENTLEMEN,

THE Propriety of your addreſſing me upon public Buſineſs I ſhall not now diſpute; but in my Anſwer I ſhall confine myſelf to ſuch Parts of your Addreſs as relate to you as the Selectmen, or to the Town as a Body.

I have no Reaſon to think that the public Tranſactions of this Town have been miſapprehended by His Majeſty or his Miniſters, or that their Opinions thereon are founded upon any other Accounts, than thoſe publiſhed by the Town itſelf.

If therefore you can vindicate yourſelves from ſuch Charges as may ariſe from your own Publications, you will in my Opinion have nothing further to apprehend.

Province-Houſe, Feb. 18, 1769. FRA. BERNARD.

At a Meeting of the Selectmen, February 23, 1769, *Preſent* Joſhua Henſhaw, Joſeph Jackſon, John Ruddock, John Hancock, Samuel Pemberton, *Eſquires, Mr.* Henderſon Inches.

Voted unanimouſly, That the following Addreſs be preſented to His Excellency FRANCIS BERNARD, Eſq;

May it pleaſe your EXCELLENCY,

THE Selectmen of the Town of *Boſton*, beg Leave once more to wait on your Excellency, hoping you will excuſe this further Trouble, as it is upon a Matter of the greateſt Importance to the Town.

In your Anſwer to our late humble Requeſt, your Excellency was pleaſed to ſay, that "you have no Reaſon to think that the public Tranſactions of this Town have been miſapprehended by His Majeſty or His Miniſters; or that their Opinions thereon are founded upon any other Accounts than thoſe publiſhed by the Town itſelf." And "that if we can vindicate ourſelves from ſuch Charges as may ariſe from our own Publications, we ſhall, in your Opinion, have nothing further to apprehend."

As the Town has publiſhed nothing but its own Tranſactions, in Town Meeting legally aſſembled; it gives us the greateſt Pleaſure to find your Excellency, in your Reply to us, thus vindicating it from any juſt Cauſe of Apprehenſion, from the general Character of its Inhabitants, conſidered as Individuals: If therefore the Town has ſuffered, on Account of the Diſorders which happened on the 18th of *March*, or the 10th of *June* laſt, by Perſons unknown (the only Diſorders that have taken place in this Town within the Year paſt) we take your Excellency's Declaration to us, to be a full Teſtimony, that in your Opinion, it muſt be in Conſequence of ſome partial or falſe Repreſentations of thoſe Diſorders to His Majeſty's Miniſters. And we rejoice to find your Excellency's Sentiments, as expreſſed in your Reply, ſo far harmonizing with thoſe of His Majeſty's Council, not long ago publiſhed. We have in this Caſe, the moſt authentic Evidence that can poſſibly be had, the joint Teſtimony of the Governor and Council of the Province, that the Town has not been *in a State of Oppoſition to Order and Government*, and ſuch as *required a military Force to ſupport civil Authority.*

With Regard to the public Tranſactions of the Town, when legally aſſembled, from which *alone*, in your Excellency's declared Opinion, the Town could have any Thing to apprehend, we beg Leave to ſay; That after the moſt careful Retroſpect, and the beſt Enquiry we could make, into the Nature and import of theſe Tranſactions, we are utterly at a Loſs, in what View they can appear to have militated with any Law, or the Britiſh Conſtitution of Government. And we entreat your Excellency would condeſcend to point out to us, in what particular Reſpect, they either have been, or may be viewed in ſuch a Light; that either, the Town may be made ſenſible of the Illegality of its Proceedings, or, that upon the moſt critical Examination, its Innocence may appear in a *ſtill clearer* Light.

Your Excellency's high Station in the Province, and the Regard you have *profeſſed* for the Intereſt of the Town, we humbly apprehend, muſt give *Propriety* to this, as well as our former Addreſs. Atteſt. WILLIAM COOPER, *Town-Clerk.*

The foregoing Addreſs was accordingly preſented his Excellency by the Selectmen laſt Friday, when his Excellency was pleaſed to return the following Anſwer.

GENTLEMEN,

AS in my Anſwer to your former Addreſs, I confined myſelf to you as Selectmen, and the Town as a Body, I did not mean to refer to the Diſorders on the 18*th of* March, *or of the* 10*th of* June, *but to the Tranſactions in the Town Meetings, and the Proceedings of the Selectmen in Conſequence thereof.*

February 24. FRA. BERNARD."

March 6. We can with Truth aſſert, that there have been born at the North Part of this Town, ſix Pair of Twins, five of which are Male Children, all within a Stone's Throw of each other, and are now alive and well.------If every Stone's Throw in America ſhould produce the like Effects, in a very little Time we ſhould have no need of a Standing Army to protect our Rights.

We are told, that the Affairs of theſe Colonies were to be ſtrictly canvaſſed in Parliament, and that every thing would be done for them which could reaſonably be expected.

A Leter from London ſays, "American Affairs engage the attention of the Public here, and truly they are in a critical Situation. The late Reſolution of ſeveral of the Colonies not to import any Britiſh Manufactures, &c.----make great Impreſſions on the Minds of People here, and perplex the Miniſtry, ſo that they are at a loſs how to act-----for as the Stamp-act was calculated to execute itſelf,-----ſo the late one of Taxation, muſt drop, by the Colonies not purchaſing the Articles taxed. A better Way could not have been fallen upon, in the preſent Juncture, to ſerve the Liberties of America.-----I hope the different Provinces will lay aſide their little Party Affairs, firmly unite, and ſtand to their Reſolutions."

Letters from London mention, that the Halifax Packet, which was ſent home laſt Summer with Diſpatches from Commodore Hood, is lying at Portſmouth fitted for Sea, and ready to ſail at an Hour's warning; and is only detained till the Parliament has determined the American affairs; when ſhe will ſail with Orders for General Gage, and the American Governors.

The ſame letters inform us, that it is more than probable, that the Earl of Chatham, and George Grenville, Eſq; will be appointed Secretaries of State before the End of the Holidays, as all the different Branches of the Grenville Family, are now firmly united.---That if this Arrangement ſhould take Place, it is not doubted, but a war will ſoon enſue; which will give great Satisfaction to a noble Earl, as he will then moſt certainly, *ſolely* guide the Reins of Government.

NEW-YORK, March 13.

The 26th ult. at about half Ebb, the Schooner Mary, Captain Criſp, from New-London, bound to this Port, having 19 Hogſheads of Sugar, and ſome other Goods on board, in coming through Hell-Gate, the Wind ſuddenly dying away, was driven by the Current on the Grid Iron Rock, where ſhe lay till the Flood; as ſoon as ſhe could float ſhe went off, and ſunk directly. The Captain and Men were obliged to quit her before ſhe ſunk, and could ſave nothing. Part of her Stern has ſince been found on the Long Iſland Shore, but nothing elſe of either Veſſel or Cargo.

Captain Creighton arrived here Thurſday Evening in 6 Weeks from Coracoa, met with ſevere Weather on the Coaſt; he acquaints us, that on his arrival at Coracoa in December laſt, he found the Inhabitants greatly alarmed on a Report that their Negroes had formed a Conſpiracy againſt them, whereupon Guards were doubled, and all neceſſary Precautions taken to ſuppreſs the Attempt; but that when he left it, the Iſland ſeemed to be ſettling into Quiet again.-----A Dutch Frigate of 32 Guns, arrived at Coracoa from Holland and the Coaſt of Guinea the 25th of January. The firſt Inſtant Captain Creighton ſpoke Captain Atkinſon from Virginia for Liverpool, out 3 Days, and the 4th ſpoke a Brig from Surrinam for Boſton, but the Wind blowing freſh, he could not learn the Maſter's Name.

PHILADELPHIA, *March* 16.

The two following papers, read February 17, *before the* AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, *held at* Philadelphia, *for promoting Uſeful Knowledge, were committed to the two Secretaries acting for the night, to be immediately publiſhed, for the benefit of Farmers, and others, viz.*

On the METHOD of deſtroying WILD GARLIC.

To the AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, *held at Philadelphia*, for promoting Uſeful Knowledge.

GENTLEMEN,

THE laudable deſign with which you ſeem actuated to promote the good of your country, and the earneſt deſire you have expreſſed in the public papers, to be informed of whatever may tend to that purpoſe, induce me to lay before you ſuch experiments as I have made, and found effectual to deſtroy *the wild garlic*, with which the country is in many places infeſted, and which is very pernicious to the grain. If what I offer, ſhall meet with your approbation, and be judged worthy the attention of the public, you are at liberty to communicate it, in ſuch a way as you ſhall think moſt proper. For my own part, I ſhall think myſelf happy, if my experience may, by your means, be made uſeful to my country.

In 1753 I fallowed and ſowed with wheat a field of about 50 acres, the greateſt part of which was very full of garlic. I fallowed in May, ſtirred in Auguſt, and ſowed in September. In April, 1754, I perceived the wheat much choaked with garlic, and at harveſt found, in many parts of the field, almoſt every tenth head was garlic, which rendered the wheat unfit for uſe, until by immerſing it in tubs of water, the garlic (which floats) was ſeparated from it. But though the wheat, if carefully dried, receives little injury from this immerſion, yet the trouble attending it is ſo great, as to diſcourage Farmers from raiſing large crops.

In April, 1755, I planted the ſame field with Indian corn, and had a good crop. In April, 1756, I ſowed the ſame field

with oats. In Auguſt I ploughed down the oat ſtubble, and in September ſowed a crop of wheat. In April, 1757, I was agreeably ſurprized at ſeeing but very little garlic, and that ſmall and dwindling; and at harveſt there was ſcarce a head to be found, except along the ſide of the fences. The ſucceſs of this culture, which was merely accident, and done without any view of deſtroying the garlic, induced me to try the following experiment.

In April, 1758, having fixed on a field for my next fall crop, which had produced Indian corn the year before, and was equally full of garlic with that I mentioned before, I ſowed part of it with oats, the other part I fallowed in June, and ſtirred in Auguſt, at which time I ploughed in the oat ſtubble as before, and ſowed the whole in September, cauſing the ſame ridges to paſs through part of the ſtubble, and part of the fallowed land. In April, 1759, there was a very perceivable difference. The ſtubble part was green with wheat, but the fallowed part was of a bluiſh colour, occaſioned by the quantity of garlic, and at harveſt was full of large heads, while in the ſtubble part there was not one to be found.

Since that I have continued to ſow oats in the garlicky lands, deſigned for wheat, and find I have ſucceeded ſo well in deſtroying the garlic, that after three years culture in that way, the lands may be fallowed and ſown with wheat in the uſual manner, without any danger from that noxious plant.

Several of my neighbours have purſued the ſame method, and find it anſwers. As the advantage of a crop of oats is more than equal to the difference between fallow and ſtubble ground wheat (where the land is tolerably good) I would recommend it to all who are troubled with garlic to make a trial. The only diſadvantage will be the impoveriſhing their lands, which, if they have manure, may be eaſily remedied. At the ſame time I would obſerve, that the ſtubble which is ploughed down, ſerves for a manure, and nearly repairs the waſte occaſioned by the crop of oats.

If it be aſked why oats deſtroy garlic, I muſt confeſs, I am unable to reſolve the queſtion. Perhaps ploughing the land in the month of April, when the greateſt part of the oil of the root or clove is in the ſhoot, and turning it under at that time, deſtroys the roots more effectually than at any other ſeaſon, and the mowing the oats, which is the method purſued by us, deſtroys the heads that would otherwiſe come to ſeed later in the year. Poſſibly the ſame tillage in the ſame ſeaſon, without ſowing oats, might anſwer the end propoſed. But having never made the experiment, I can ſay nothing certain on that head.

I am, &c. H. HOLLINGSWORTH.

Head of Elk, Nov. 20, 1768.

Extract of a letter from Mr. PETER MILLER, *of* Ephratah, *to Mr.* CHARLES THOMSON, *on the time of ſowing* PEASE, *ſo as to preſerve the crop from being worm-eaten.*

THE peaſe I ſend you the ſample of are the produce of laſt ſummer. Their ſeed was very much worm-eaten, but as the crop produced from them was no way infected, it is evident that their ſafety depended entirely on the time of ſowing; which is about the 10th of June, new ſtyle. This hath been confirmed to me by a Farmer here of a long experience.

"The beſt method would be to begin ſowing towards the latter end of May, and continue for a few weeks, ſowing ſome each week, or at the diſtance of 3 or 4 days, in order to diſcover whether the worm does not come from ſowing in an improper ſeaſon. Some Albany peaſe might likewiſe be tried as ſeed; all which I recommend to the prudent conſideration of your ſociety. For, if you could make any ſure diſcovery for the uſe of the country, the public would be greatly indebted to you.

"Peaſe were heretofore very plenty in Pennſylvania. I knew one Farmer in *Oley* raiſe ſixty buſhels at a crop, and I did not hear that they were damaged at that time by the worm. I muſt not forget to tell you, that, as the peaſe I have ſent you are of an excellent kind, and very ſcarce here, you will be careful to propagate their ſpecies. As to the *lentils* which are ſent, the time of ſowing them is early in the ſpring, and moſt commonly with oats."----

N. B. It is recommended to ſuch as ſhall make experiments of ſowing peaſe late, in order to have a crop free from the worm, that they would keep an account of the times of ſowing, and the effect thereof, in regard to their crops.

True copies from the Minutes,
CHARLES THOMSON, WILLIAM SMITH,
Secretaries of the night.

Princetown, March 9. Friday laſt, about 3 o' Clock in the Afternoon, a Fire broke out in Naſſau Hall: But by the immediate and vigorous Aſſiſtance of the Students, and Inhabitants of the Village, it was extinguiſhed, without doing any conſiderable Damage. It did not appear to have been owing to the Heedleſſneſs of any Perſon whatever, but probably to a Spark, from the windward, dropping on the leeward Side of the Building, as it kindled in the Roof, where was no Communication with any of the Chambers.

On the 6th Inſtant were interred at Abington, Philadelphia County, the Remains of MARY KNIGHT, many Years a Preacher among the People called Quakers.--She was born near this City, and died, after a ſhort Illneſs, in the 88th Year of her Age.

On the 9th Inſtant died at Abington, THOMAS WOOD, a Preacher among the People called Quakers; a Gentleman of exemplary Piety and Virtue; aged 98 Years.

Captain Weeks, from Cadiz, on the 28th of laſt Month, in Lat. 32, Long. 72, ſpoke a Schooner, from South-Carolina for Antigua, out ſix Days, but paſſing her very faſt in the Night, he did not learn the Maſter's Name.

Captain Peters, from Liſbon, about 20 Days ago, in Lat. 30, Long. 65, ſpoke a Ship, Captain Stewart, from Jamaica for London, 5 Weeks out, all well.

Captain Hanſe, from Jamaica, on the 2d of February, about five Leagues from Port-Royal, ſpoke a Sloop, Captain Giles, of Wilmington, bound to the Bay of Honduras; the Ship Speedwell, Captain Wilſon, of this Port, was then in Company with him, alſo bound to the Bay.

Laſt Friday Afternoon a Fire broke out in a wooden Tenement, in Front-ſtreet, which entirely conſumed the ſame, and greatly damaged another wooden Building adjoining. As the Flames were very rapid, and the Wind very high, ſeveral fine Dwelling-houſes adjoining would have been deſtroyed, had not the Inhabitants exerted themſelves in a very extraordinary Manner, by which Means they were preſerved.----There were two more Alarms the ſame Evening, occaſioned by Chimnies; and another on Sunday Morning, during Divine Service, but happily no Damage enſued. *Theſe Alarms, it is hoped, will caution the Inhabitants to be very careful of their Chimnies.*

On Saturday laſt the Tide in Delaware River was remarkably low, occaſioned by the hard North-weſt Winds; it is ſaid to have been at leaſt two Feet and an Half lower than common low Water Mark; and in the River Schuylkill, it was ſo low, that the Ferry Boats could not get to the faſt Land, on either Side, for ſome Time.

ARRIVALS from this Port.

Captain Caton, at Cadiz; Gregory, at Barcelona; Captain Steel (laſt from New-York) and Captains Francis and Cooper, at Jamaica.

Arrived at Jamaica. Captain Northam, from Rhode-Iſland; Vincent, Dotten, and Bartlett, from Boſton; Welſh, from New-York; and Captain Thompſon, from Virginia.

☞ The MEMBERS of the AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, held at Philadelphia, for promoting Uſeful Knowledge, are to meet at the College To-morrow Evening, at Six o' Clock.

N. B. It will be the laſt Evening in which, by the Laws, any New Members can be propoſed for the quarterly Election that is to be on the Third Friday in April.

The Members of the CROWN AND BEAVER *Fire Company, at their laſt Meeting, unanimouſly agreed not to purchaſe any* LAMB, *nor ſuffer any to be conſumed in their Families, the preſent Season.*

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Brig Eagle, J. Cochran, from Madeira. Brig Anne and Catherine, J. Cooper, Sardinia. Ship Rachel, J. Hanſe, Jamaica. Brig Two Friends, J. Peters, Liſbon. Sloop Sandwich. S. Coffin, Nantucket. Ship Cheſter, J. Wickes, from Cadiz.

OUTWARDS. Sloop Philadelphia, A. Lowell, for Piſcataqua. Brig Juliana, S. Nuttle, Liſbon. Brig Willing-Maid, William Shroudy, St. Croix. Ship Betſy, S. Hawke, Jamaica. Sloop Sandwich, S. Coffin, Nantucket. Sloop Phebe, W. Allen, St. Euſtatia. Schooner Lovely Laſs, D. Badger, for Maryland.

CLEARED. Ship White Oak, R. Caſſan, and Schooner Barbados Packet, W. Sutton, to Barbados. Brig Two Brothers, J. Duncan, Dublin. Brig Dolphin, E. Bingley, Ship Hayfield, W. Macky, Snow Betſy, W. Barber, Brig Nancy, T. Leech, and Brig Patty, R. Hardie, Liſbon. Brig Carpenter, T. Powell, Montſerrat. Brig Prince of Wales, T. Maſon, S. Carolina. Sloop Cape-Fear Packet, E. Hanſon, N. Carolina. Ship Molly, B. A. Alliſon, and Brig Charming Peggy, G. Conyngham, Antigua. Sloop Succeſs, J. Byrne, Virginia. Sloop Abigail, S. Thurſtan, to Rhode-Iſland.

To be ſold at public ſale, on Thurſday, the 23d of March, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon, at the Houſe of Mrs. Cummings, on the Falls road,

A CERTAIN PLANTATION or tract of LAND, ſituate on the road leading from Wiſſahickon to Germantown road, commonly called Shute's road, containing about 22 acres, the greateſt part meadow ground, and a thriving orchard, having a wooden tenement and large barn erected thereon, adjoining lands of James Logan and others; now in the tenure of JOHN DEEL.

ALSO a certain lot of ground, ſituate on Manheim-ſtreet, in Germantown, containing about 13 acres; bounded eaſtward and weſtward by ground of Edward Shippen, Eſquire.

BY virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, on the 4th day of April next, at 2 o'clock, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage, plantation, and two tracts or parcels of land, lying contiguous to each other, thereunto belonging, containing in both the ſaid pieces 78 acres, and the uſual allowance of 6 acres per cent. be the ſame more or leſs, with the one moiety of a water corn griſt-mill, and its appurtenances thereunto belonging, ſituate in the townſhip of London-Grove, in Cheſter county; bounded by lands of John Henderſon ſenior, John Small, John Roſs, David Correy, James Whitcraft, and others; late the eſtate of John Henderſon junior; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on Wedneſday, the 5th day of April next, at one o'clock, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage, tenement, plantation and tract or parcel of land, containing about 40 acres, more or leſs, ſituate in the townſhip of Weſt-Nottingham; bounded by lands of James Evans, Samuel Ewing, William Rowland, and others. Alſo will be ſold at the ſame time and place, a variety of houſhold furniture, horſes, cows, &c. and ſundry ſmiths tools; late the eſtate and effects of Martha M'Kee, and Victor Craig; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

BY virtue of writs of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on the 5th day of April next, at 2 o'clock, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage, plantation and tract or parcel of land, thereunto belonging, containing 187 acres and a half, be it more or leſs, ſituate in the townſhip of Charleſtown, in the county of Cheſter; bounded by lands of William Graham, and George Martin, and the river Schuylkill; the land is good, a ſtone-houſe, and other buildings, with a young orchard thereon, and other improvements. At the ſame time and place will be ſold a crop of wheat in the ground, a waggon and horſes, cows and young cattle, ſwine, and a variety of houſhold furniture, and other things, too tedious to enumerate; all late the eſtate and effects of Bernard Vanborn; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

BY virtue of writs of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on the 6th day of April next, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage, plantation and tract or parcel of good land, thereunto belonging, containing 255 acres, ſituate in Weſt Nantmell townſhip, in the county of Cheſter; bounded by lands of John Gilliland, Joſeph Long, Andrew Spence, and William Mackey; there is now a noted tavern kept on the premiſes, and its public ſituation near the Manor Meeting-houſe, where two roads croſs each other, makes it a place of good cuſtom, the buildings are a good ſquare log-houſe, a barn, and ſundry out-houſes, a choice orchard of 400 apple trees in their prime; about 25 acres of good watered meadow is on the premiſes, in good order, it may juſtly be ſaid to be a compleat farm, and a proper place for a tavern, late the eſtate of James M'Coſkry, ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

N. B. At the ſame time and place will be ſold horſes and cattle, wheat in the ground, and various houſhold furniture.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, on the 7th day of April next, at 2 o'clock, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, one full equal undivided moiety, in two equal parts to be divided, of and in a meſſuage and plantation, with 176 acres of land thereunto belonging, ſituate in the townſhip of Eaſt Bradford, in the ſaid county; bounded by lands of Benjamin Hawley, Michael Righter, John Baldwin, &c. The ſaid premiſes will be ſold ſubject to right and intereſt of the mother of George Jeffrys herein after named, during her natural life; late the eſtate of the ſaid George Jeffrys; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter, March 7, 1769.

THIS day was committed to my cuſtody, as a runaway ſervant, a man who calls himſelf JOHN MONDAY, and ſays he is a ſervant to John Read, of Upper Paxton, near Juniata, in Cumberland county. His maſter is deſired to come pay charges, and take him away, or he will be diſcharged in ſix weeks from the date hereof, according to law, by

† *JOSEPH THOMAS, Goaler.*

New-Caſtle, March 6, 1769.

BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 24th day of this inſtant March, at the houſe of William Lee, in New-Caſtle Hundred, a likely Negroe MAN, about 30 years of age, a young Negroe WENCH, and a likely young MARE, fit for the ſaddle; ſeized and taken in execution as the property of Daniel Turner, at the ſuit of Samuel Anderſon, and to be ſold for ready money, by

§ *JOHN THOMPSON, Sheriff.*

ON Saturday, the 25th day of March inſtant, at 11 o'clock, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, if not ſold before by private ſale, a leaſe of two years to come of a certain meſſuage, plantation and tract of land, containing about 120 acres, 80 acres whereof is good drained and upland meadow, ſituate on the iſland of Tinecum, in the county of Cheſter, on which Luke Nethermark, in his life time dwelt. Alſo at the ſame time will be ſold, a crop of wheat and rye in the ground, a quantity of hay, horſes, good milch cows, ſheep, implements of huſbandry, two good carts, a harrow, &c. Houſhold furniture, ſuch as a good eight day and 24 hour clock, feather beds and bedding, tables, chairs and ſundry other things, too tedious to mention; late the eſtate of Luke Nethermark, deceaſed, and to be ſold by MARGARET NETHERMARK, *Executrix, and* JOHN MORTON, *Executor.*

‡ *N. B. Thoſe who have a mind to purchaſe the ſaid leaſe at private ſale, may apply to either the Executrix, or Executor, at their place of dwelling, any time before ſaid day.*

A LUSTY SERVANT MAN, fit for town or country buſineſs, to be ſold by George Cooper, who has almoſt 3 years to ſerve, and ſold for no fault, but want of employ. Whoever wants ſuch a one, may enquire of the Printers hereof. ¶

Third Month 14th, 1769.

THE Creditors of JACOB COOK are hereby requeſted to bring in their Accounts to RICHARD PARKER, one of the Truſtees, in order to receive their Dividends.

To be LETT by the SUBSCRIBER,

HIS DWELLING-HOUSE, at the Corner of Second and Union-ſtreets, which may be entered on any Time in April next.

Alſo to be Lett, a ſmall Place on Paſſyunk Road, about three Quarters of a Mile from the City. There is on it a new Brick Houſe, two Rooms on a Floor, a Garden well fenced in with Cedar Boards, a Pump of good Water, and a large Barn. It is divided into four Lots; the whole in good Order, produces remarkably well, and the beſt Kinds of Graſs.

¶ CHARLES COXE.

Juſt opened, and to be ſold on the loweſt terms, for CASH or ſhort credit, by

RANDLE MITCHELL,

At his STORE in Water-ſtreet, near Walnut-ſtreet,

A GENERAL aſſortment of 3-qrs, 7-8ths, and yard wide Iriſh linens, Wilton cloths, ſaggathies, hardwares, checks, ſtriped cottons, crapes, dorſettees, calimancoes, and yard wide ſtuffs. A parcel of the beſt German ſcythes and cutting knives, with an aſſortment of other GOODS.

THE Subſcriber, in order that he may be enabled to continue riding, and further oblige his Employers, deſires that they would pay off their reſpective Subſcriptions by the 22d of this inſt. March, at the places where their News papers are delivered, otherwiſe he will be obliged to diſcontinue riding.

JOSEPH REED, Nottingham Meſſenger.

Will COVER this SEASON, The

BELLSIZE ARABIAN.

HE is a genuine Arab, of ſuperior form, full ſize, great ſtrength, and admirable beauty. This very elegant horſe has already been largely deſcribed in the News-Papers, ſince which his ſtock has ſhewn, that all that has been ſaid is unequal to his natural powers. He is a horſe of great vigour, and the certainty of his being a ſure foal-getter cannot be better proved than by the breeding ſtate of the mares he has covered.---There are now in and about this city ſuch large, boney and beautiful colts got by him as the continent cannot equal, which ſhews that he is fitted for mixing his blood with our country mares, to breed for the ſaddle or carriage, or with high blooded mares for the turf. As he was originally ſent over to improve the breed, to keep cloſe to this intention, ſo that the public may receive the advantage, he will now cover under the care of John Perkins, at the ſtables in Fifth-ſtreet, at Thirty Shillings a leap, or Three Pounds the ſeaſon, and in either caſe Five Shillings to the groom.

The ſaid PERKINS has procured good and ſecure paſtures for mares, at a moderate price per week.

York-Town, March 6, 1769.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, on Monday, the 10th of April next, at ten o' clock in the forenoon, will be expoſed to public ſale, on the premiſes, a griſt-mill, ſaw-mill, plantation, and tract of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, ſituate in Chanceford and Fawn townſhips, York county, adjoining lands of Thomas Greer, William Mackey, William Miller, John Buchanan, and Henry Robeſon; taken in execution as the eſtate of Samuel Leeper, and to be ſold by

¶ GEORGE EICHELBERGER, Sheriff.

York-Town, March 6, 1769.

BY virtue of ſundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, on Wedneſday, the 12th of April next, at ten o' clock in the forenoon, will be expoſed to public ſale, on the premiſes, two plantations, and tracts of land, contiguous to and adjoining each other, containing 700 acres; on one of which tracts is a tanyard, with all neceſſary buildings for that buſineſs, and a very good mill ſeat, with a never-failing ſtream of water; on each tract there is about 100 acres clear, with good buildings, and an orchard, about 50 acres of clear meadow made, and double that quantity may be made, the land very rich, and well timbered, and the meadow well watered, it is ſituate in Cumberland townſhip, York county, on the road from Bedford to Philadelphia and Baltimore, about 60 miles from the latter; and alſo a farm in the South Mountain, about 4 miles from the above, containing 200 acres, with a fine range for ſtock. The aforeſaid three tracts of land are ſurveyed, and a conſiderable part of the purchaſe money paid; they will be ſold either ſeparately, or all together, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer; all taken in execution, as the eſtate of Joſeph Morriſon, and to be ſold by

¶ GEORGE EICHELBERGER, Sheriff.

N. B. The two firſt mentioned tracts are under mortgage, for 600 l. and intereſt, for which the purchaſer may have any reaſonable time, paying intereſt.

To be SOLD by way of public VENDUE, on Monday, the 27th of this inſt. March, by the ſubſcriber, living on the premiſes, in Warrington townſhip, Bucks county,

A LOT of LAND, containing about 20 acres, on which there is a good ſtone dwelling-houſe, 2 ſtories high, large and commodious, having 4 rooms on a floor, with 7 fire-places, beſides the kitchen; it has been a licenced tavern for many years; likewiſe a convenient ſtone ſhed, 50 feet long, with a good loft above, with a large barn, and ſtone ſtables; the whole in good repair; alſo a good garden, walled and boarded in, and a well at the door; likewiſe a good bearing orchard; the ſituation is pleaſant, and would ſuit for almoſt any kind of public buſineſs; it is two miles from Neſhaminey Meeting-houſe, and 22 from Philadelphia. Alſo will be ſold, at ſaid time, two other lots, adjoining the above, containing above 50 acres each, upon one of which there is a dwelling-houſe, coal-houſe, and ſmith's ſhop; the whole will be ſold together, or ſeparate, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer. The terms will be made eaſy. The titles are indiſputable. The vendue to be held on the premiſes, and to begin at ten o' clock ſaid day, where due attendance will be given by

JOHN CRAIG. ¶

To be SOLD, RENTED, or LETT on SHARES,

ALL the lands and mills belonging to the ſubſcriber, living in Uchland townſhip, Cheſter county, viz. the plantation he now lives on, of about 250 acres of land, 80 acres of meadow, and as much more may be made; one other adjoining the above of 200 acres, with about 10 acres of meadow; two good merchant mills on Brandywine, with two pair of ſtones in each; one other in Ridley townſhip, and one on Crumb Creek, within two miles of Cheſter, with a landing, about half a mile from the mill. Any of the above premiſes may be entered on immediately. JOSEPH PHIPPS.

THE creditors of LEVALLIN BARRY, of Radnor, in Cheſter county, Innholder, are deſired to ſend their reſpective Accounts to Richard Miles, of Radnor, aforeſaid, before the 7th of April next; and thoſe whoſe Accounts are unſettled, are deſired to meet the ſubſcribers, at the ſign of the Unicorn, on that day, to ſettle the ſame, as the books of the ſaid Levallin Barry will immediately be put into the hands of a Magiſtrate, in order to ſue (without reſpect of perſons) all who appear to be indebted under Five Pounds. SAMUEL MILES, EDWARD JONES, SAMSON DAVIS, Aſſignees.

N. B. The Aſſignees have a ſervant girl's time to diſpoſe of, who has about four years to ſerve.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A FULLER, who underſtands fulling, dying, ſhearing, and preſſing of cloth, in all its branches; and one who can be well recommended for care and truſt. Such a perſon will meet with extraordinary encouragement, by applying to GEORGE BROWN, in Kennet townſhip, Cheſter county. A ſingle perſon will ſuit beſt, but there will be no Objection to one that has a family. ¶

O Deleware was ſo low, That Rocks were diſcovered [illegible] naked Eye from the City, to lay all between the Barr

JUNIPER,

IS now in excellent order, and will cover MARES at Jacob Hiltzheimer's, in Seventh-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet, at Twelve Dollars a mare the ſeaſon, or Six Dollars a ſingle leap, and Five Shillings to the groom. He is a fine bay horſe, of ſize, ſtrength and beauty, very healthy, and free from any blemiſh whatſoever, was got by Babram, ſon of Lord Godolphin's Arabian, his dam, which won the four years old plate at Burford, from the famous Guſtavus, and 7 others, at 4 heats, by Stamford Turk; his grandam by a ſon of Fox, which was own brother to the famous gelding, called Conqueror; his great grandam by the Flying Childers; his great, great grandam, which was alſo the dam of the noted horſes Old Crab, Black Legs, Snip, &c. by Baſto; his great, great, great grandam, which was alſo the dam of Old Partner, and own ſiſter to Minbury, by the Curwin bay barb; his great, great, great, great grandam, by the Curwin Spot; his great, great, great, great, great grandam, by the white legged Lowther barb; his great, great, great, great, great, great grandam, was the famous Vintner mare. JUNIPER, after winning 15 plates in different parts of England, from the beſt horſes in the kingdom, ſtarted for the Jockey Club plate, on the 1ſt of May, 1760, and won it, beating Mr. Panton's famous horſe Feather, and Lord Rockingham's Remus, ſince came to Virginia to Col. Syme, who ſold him for 1000 l. Virginia currency.

Likewiſe, to cover at the ſame place, the fine horſe, called WHITE NOSE, bred in New-England, at Four Dollars a mare the ſeaſon, or Two Dollars a ſingle leap, and Two Shillings and Sixpence to the groom; he is a horſe of 15 hands high, and upwards, and more likely to get good ſaddle horſes than any other horſe in the province. The money, for both horſes, to be paid before the mares are taken out of the ſtable.

N. B. Thoſe mares that did not prove with foal by Juniper, the laſt ſeaſon, may have this ſeaſon for Six Dollars.

Tbc. 4 M. JACOB HILTZHEIMER.

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On the Firſt Day of April next, by the SUBSCRIBER,

A PLANTATION, ſituate in Eaſt Caln, in the County of Cheſter, containing 168 Acres, with the uſual Allowance for Roads; there are on the Premiſes, two good Dwelling-Houſes, and a good Barn, a good Orchard, and a conſiderable Quantity of Meadow, and more may be made; it is ſituate on a large Road, leading from Philadelphia to Harris's Ferry, about 60 Acres of cleared Land, the Remainder well timbered. The Purchaſer, paying 100 l. down, may have conſiderable Credit for the Remainder. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may know the Terms, before the Day of Sale, by applying to the Subſcriber, on the Premiſes, JAMES HICKEY. ‡

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION, ſituate in Whitpain townſhip, Philadelphia county, bounded on Skippack road, 2 miles above Samuel Morris's mills, and 15 from Philadelphia, containing 200 acres of land, 120 cleared, the reſt woodland; the plough land is good for winter or ſpring grain, ſome of the ground being freſh, and ſome well limed, it being but two miles from the kiln, good watered meadow, and more may be watered, with a ſtream of water running through the place, large enough for a fulling-mill. There are upwards of 200 loads of dung now at the barn, which has been reſerved for the meadows; alſo ſome rich bottom, that produces a great quantity of graſs; there is hay, yearly, to maintain ten cows, and four horſes, a good bearing orchard, a large two ſtory ſtone houſe, 4 rooms on a floor, and a good cellar, a pump of good water at the door, a large new barn, 57 by 25 feet, one half ſtone, a good ſpring, and a new ſtone houſe over it, near the door, and fences in good repair; it is a healthy and pleaſant ſituation; the title indiſputable, and will be ſold on reaſonable terms, either together, or 140 acres, with the buidling and meadows, or as would beſt ſuit the purchaſer. For terms of ſale, apply on the premiſes, to

¶ CALEB BYRNES.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber, living in Briſtol Townſhip, Bucks County,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, ſituate in the ſaid townſhip, within one mile of Briſtol wharff, containing 207 acres, 65 of which is cleared, 9 thereof good meadow, and 20 acres more may be made; the upland remarkably good for wheat; the remainder chiefly woodland, with ſome valuable timber thereon. And if the ſame ſhould not be ſold at private ſale before the 30th day of this inſt. March, on that day it will be ſold by public vendue, at my houſe in Briſtol townſhip aforeſaid, adjoining the premiſes. At the ſame time will be ſold, horſes, cows, ſwine, waggons, carts, plows, harrows, and gears, caſes of drawers, and ſundry other articles of houſhold furniture, too tedious to mention. The terms of the vendue will be made known at the time of ſale; before which time, any perſon may be ſhewn the premiſes, by applying to

¶ DANIEL THOMPSON.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Upper Paxton townſhip, Lancaſter county, on Monday, the 27th of February laſt, a native Iriſh ſervant man, named John Monday, ſpeaks very much on the brogue, appears very ſimple, both in his deportment and converſation; he is about 5 feet 4 inches high, of a fair complexion, brown hair, hanging down, but may probably cut it off, as he took with him a tye wig, made of his own hair; he had on, when he went away, a blue broadcloth coat, jacket and breeches, home made brown ſtockings, and half worn ſhoes, with ſmall ſteel buckles. Whoever ſecures ſaid runaway in any of his Majeſty's goals, if taken in this province, ſhall receive Forty Shillings reward, or if taken out of the province Three Pounds, or brings him home to his maſter, at Read's ferry, on Saſquehanna, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me JOHN READ.

N. B. It is ſuppoſed he is gone down to Lancaſter, or to Philadelphia, in order to enliſt himſelf in his Majeſty's ſervice. All maſters of veſſels are forbid to carry him off at their peril. §

WHEREAS there are ſundry lots of land in the borough of Wilmington, and county of New-Caſtle, that have been leaſed out to ſundry perſons on groundrent, by the Swedes Congregation of Trinity Church, in the borough and county aforeſaid, and thoſe perſons have neglected to pay up the groundrents for many years paſt: This is therefore to give notice to all ſuch perſons that do ſtand in arrears, that if they do not pay or diſcharge the ſame, before the fifth day of April next, they will be ſold on ſaid day, according to an act of aſſembly of this government provided, in order to diſcharge the ſame. Attendance will be given that day, at the houſe of William Marſhall, in Wilmington, from the hours of ten o' clock to five, in order to receive the groundrents, that at that time ſhall become due, by us NEILS JUSTIS, and JUSTA WALRAVEN, Truſtees. ¶

RUN away from his bail, in Uwchland townſhip, Cheſter county, on the 7th of this inſt. March, one John Benſon, this country born, a blackſmith by trade, with ſhort black hair, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, 24 years of age, has a ſcar above his right eye; had on, when he went away, a blanket coat, old felt hat, new buckſkin breeches, new leather apron, much given to drink; it is likely he may change his clothes for money. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid John Benſon, in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, if taken within this province; and if taken out of the province, FIVE POUNDS, with reaſonable charges, paid by

¶ WILLIAM MELCHIOR.

TO BE SOLD,

A VERY valuable plantation, or tract of land, ſituate in the county of Salem, and province of Weſt New-Jerſey, near the town of Salem aforeſaid, containing about 600 acres, with good buildings, orchards, and every other thing neceſſary for grazing and tilling. For further particulars enquire of SAMUEL OAKFORD, on the premiſes; JOSEPH HART, at Port Penn; WILLIAM HEWLINGS, Eſq; in Burlington; or JOHN HART, in Philadelphia.

N. B. Any time, not exceeding ſeven years, will be given for the payment of the purchaſe Money, paying intereſt, and giving ſecurity, if required. Tbctf.

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

STRAYED, or ſtolen away, from the ſubſcriber, living at the Head of Elk, in Cæcil county, Maryland, on Sunday, the 19th of February laſt, a light iron-grey HORSE (or rather may be called a muddy grey) 6 or 7 years old this ſpring, near 15 hands high, paces, trots and gallops, branded on the near ſhoulder W, and on the near buttock B, he is a waggon horſe, and the hair is chafed on each ſide of his body, with the chains, he has a large white ratch down his face, and when he went away, was ſhod all round. Whoever takes up ſaid horſe, and ſecures him, ſo that the owner may have him again, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges if brought home; and if ſtolen, whoever apprehends the thief, ſo that he may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have Three Pounds more.

† TOBIAS RUDULPH.

SIX DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away, about the 16th of November laſt, a ſervant man, named JAMES DAVENPORT, about 30 years of Age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, a dark complexion, hollow eyes, long black hair, tied behind; had on, when he went away, a good caſtor hat, a grey lappelled coat, a blue waiſtcoat, buckſkin breeches, old ſhoes, and pinchbeck buckles; alſo took with him, a claret coloured coat and waiſtcoat, and a red ſilk waiſtcoat; he ſays, he was born in London, and has been 11 years in the ſervice, and got his diſcharge in Cork, in Ireland; he is a very good ſcholar, and has taught ſchool two years and a half in Sadſbury townſhip, Cheſter county, and took with him a certificate, ſigned by ſaveral of his employers. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, in any goal, or brings him to the ſubſcriber, living in the townſhip aforeſaid, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me

¶ 6 W. JAMES BOYD.

To be SOLD by JAMES DER KINDEREN,

in STRAWBERRY ALLEY,

GOOD Fall Mackarel; Oil by the Barrel; Melaſſes by the Hogſhead; and choice good Tea by the Dozen, at a low Price. Alſo a Riding Chair, &c. &c. &c. ¶

Germantown, March 1, 1769.

To be SOLD, at public VENDUE, on Monday, the 8th day of May next, on the premiſes,

ONE of the pleaſanteſt ſituated tracts or lots of land, of 125 feet front, on the main ſtreet, in the middle of Germantown, containing between two and three acres of land, with a large two ſtory ſtone meſſuage, of 40 feet long, a large ſtone kitchen, a good pump, a curious, well improved, large garden, a thriving orchard, of a great variety of apple, pear, plumb, apricot, Engliſh walnut, and other curious fruit trees, with many other valuable improvements, and conveniencies, on the ſame. The whole is very well adapted for a country ſeat, or a tavern (or a ſhop, as is there now kept) or any other public buſineſs. Sundry other lots, fit for graſs land (now in corn) &c. will be ſold the ſame day. The purchaſer may (on giving ſecurity, and paying intereſt) have ſeveral years time to pay the greateſt part of the purchaſe money, if deſired. This early notice of ſaid ſale is given, on purpoſe that any perſon, living at a diſtance, willing to ſuit himſelf with a place, ſo well adapted to carry on any buſineſs to advantage, may alſo have timely notice. The ſaid ſale is to begin at two o' clock in the afternoon on the ſaid day. Further information may be had, on ſaid place, of the owner, CHRISTIAN LEHMAN.

N. B. Said Chriſtian Lehman hath alſo a great variety of curious fruit trees for ſale, ſuch as Engliſh Walnut, pear, plumb, nectarines, apricot, &c. &c. &c. ‖ 6 W.

TO BE LETT,

A GOOD commodious BRICK HOUSE, with a good convenient kitchen adjoining the ſame; there is a well of good water, an orchard of good apple trees, and many other improvements thereon; it is ſituated on Paſſyunk road, about half a mile from the city, and has long been a noted tavern, and much frequented; it is commonly known by the name of the Horſe and Dray tavern. For further particulars, enquire of DANIEL DUPUY, Goldſmith, in Second-ſtreet, below the Friend's Meeting-houſe, where he continues to ſell all kinds of gold and ſilver work.

*** And at the ſame place are made and mended, all kinds of clocks and watches, in the neateſt and moſt reaſonable manner, by JOHN DUPUY. †

To be SOLD,

TWO new and well built BANK HOUSES, in this City, each 22 Feet Front, and 44 Feet deep; bounded Northward by Samuel Sanſom, junior, and Southward on an 8 Feet public Alley, next the City Vendue Store, are nearly oppoſite to Judah Foulke's, in Front-ſtreet, and Thomas Riche or Thomas Clifford's, in Water-ſtreet, being about Mid-way from Market to Arch-ſtreet, and a very good Stand for the Dry Goods Buſineſs, or any other Trade. The Houſes are three Stories and a Half in Water-ſtreet, having very large dry lower Stores for Cask Goods; alſo next above, large and convenient Dry Goods Stores, neatly ſhelved; they have good Vaults in Front-ſtreet, and altho' appearing there only one Story, yet will, on Examination, be found roomly and commodious for any middling Family. For further Particulars, pleaſe to enquire of the Subſcribers, who will ſhew the Premiſes to any Perſons inclined to purchaſe,

4 W. KEARNY and GILBERT.

All Perſons indebted to Kearny and Gilbert, are earneſtly requeſted to make ſpeedy Payment. They have for Sale, lately imported, choice Briſtol Beer, and Taunton Ale; a compleat Sett of Rigging, with Cables ſuitable for a Brig of about 140 Tons; Crates of Apothecary's Phials, Ditto of Wine Glaſſes and Tumblers ſorted, Ditto of Stone Tea Ware, Ditto of Gallon, Half Gallon and Quart Bottles; Cart and Waggon Boxes; Iron Pots ſorted, from one to ten Gallons; Pewter; Tin-plates; Nails; Crowley's Steel; Weare and Company's beſt Scotch Snuff; Bird or Canary-ſeed by the Buſhel; fine Table Salt in four Buſhel Bags; and a Variety of Dry Goods.

ROBERT BASS, APOTHECARY,

In Market-ſtreet, continues to ſell, on the eaſieſt terms,

NEAT and genuine DRUGS, of the laſt Fall's importation; all the valuable kinds of patent medicines, with many articles but very lately received from the Weſt Indies, and divers parts of the American continent.

MEDICINES, as preſcribed and directed by the London College of Phyſicians, prepared as uſual.

By the firſt ſpring ſhips he will have a freſh ſupply of the beſt London capital drugs, which he will punctually ſell at no more than accuſtomed price during the Summer.

Philadelphia, Land-Office, February 23, 1769.

THE LAND-OFFICE will be opened on the third day of April next, at ten o'clock in the morning, to receive applications from all perſons inclinable to take up lands in the new purchaſe, upon the terms of Five Pounds Sterling per hundred acres, and One Penny Sterling per acre per annum quit-rent. No perſon will be allowed to take up more than 300 acres, without the ſpecial licence of the Proprietaries or the Governor. The ſurveys upon all applications are to be made and returned within 6 months, and the whole purchaſe money paid at one payment, and patent taken out within 12 months from the date of the application, with intereſt, and quit-rent from 6 months after the application. If there be a failure on the ſide of the party applying, in either procuring his ſurvey, and return to be made, or in paying the purchaſe money, and obtaining the patent, the application and ſurvey will be utterly void, and the Proprietaries will be at liberty to diſpoſe of the land to any other perſon whatever. And as theſe terms will be ſtrictly adhered to by the Proprietaries, all perſons are hereby warned and cautioned, not to apply for more land than they will be able to pay for in the time hereby given for that purpoſe.

By Order of the Governor,

JAMES TILGHMAN, Secretary of the Land-Office.

N. B. So long a day is fixed, to give the back inhabitants time to repair to the office.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſales on Saturday, the 18th of March, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the houſe of John Schrack, in Providence townſhip, a certain plantation or tract of land, ſituate in Providence townſhip aforeſaid, about 26 miles from Philadelphia, containing about 100 acres, about 40 acres clear, the remainder wood land, about 7 acres meadow ground, with a never failing ſpring, having a wooden waſh-houſe erected thereon, about 7 acres orchard, with bearing trees, moſtly grafted, and two kitchen gardens, near the houſe, bounded by lands of the Lutheran Church and School-houſe, and lands of Peter and Ludwick Harpel, and Andrew Miller; having erected thereon a good two ſtory ſtone meſſuage, with a convenient cellar under the ſame, and a well of good water in the cellar. Alſo a ſtone building annexed to the meſſuage, with a fire place therein, and a large ſtone barn and ſtables.

Likewiſe a wooden tenement, with two rooms and a cellar thereunder, with ſtables, and a kitchen garden thereto allotted, ſuitable for a tradeſman or tenant of the place; late the eſtate of Frederick Martin; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, *Sheriff.*

N. B. The purchaſer paying down 200 l. of the purchaſe money, may have credit for the remainder, paying intereſt, and giving ſecurity for the ſame.

TO be SOLD at public vendue, to the higheſt bidder, at Queen's Town, in Queen Ann's county, on Wedneſday, the 29th of March inſt. about 600 acres of land, more or leſs, ſituate on both ſides of the river Choptank, about 5 miles above the Bridge, being part of a tract called Codſhead Manor, is well ſuited for tillage, and convenient for three ſettlements, with a parcel of rich low ground, fit for meadows to each. The land is near a church, a mill, and a landing place, and does not exceed 14 miles to a landing on the river Delaware. The title is good. Six months credit will be given for the purchaſe money, the purchaſer giving bond, with ſecurity, to the ſubſcriber, who will attend the ſale. In the mean time apply to JOHN FISHER, *in Queen Ann's county, or* BENJAMIN KENDALL, *in Philadelphia.* §

To be SOLD at public vendue, on Thurſday, the 6th of April,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, containing about 2000 acres, lying in Faquier county, in Virginia, well wooded and watered; the ſaid land lays within half a mile of the main road from Dumfries to Wincheſter, and 3 miles to the weſtward of the Bull Run Mountain, on a branch of Gooſe Creek, near one fourth part of this land may be made exceeding good meadow. The ſale will begin at 12 o'clock, at the houſe of Mr. John Sciers, who lives within half a mile of the land, and will ſhew it to any perſon who wants to view the premiſes, which will be parcelled out or ſold together, as may be agreed on at the day of ſale. Time will be given for payment on bond, with ſecurity, if required. JUDSON COOLIDGE.

Aquia, in Virginia, Dec. 10, 1768.

TO be ſold, on Tueſday, the 4th day of April next, the valuable tract of land, known by the name of BRENTON, containing 8000 acres, lying in Prince William county, and within 18 miles of Colcheſter, 14 of Dumfries, and 25 of Falmouth. This land is remarkable for being level, of a rich ſoil throughout the tract, and well timbered and watered, has many valuable improvements on it, and pays no quitrents. The ſale will begin preciſely at 12 o'clock, at the houſe of SCARLET MADDENS, on the premiſes, and the land ſold either in lots, or the whole, as ſhall be agreed upon on the day of ſale, as well as the terms for payment. ROBERT BRENT, WILLIAM BRENT, DANIEL CARROLL, HENRY ROZER. Tbc.

To be LETT, by the SUBSCRIBER, and may be entered on next March,

THAT exceedingly valuable and commodious plantation, whereon he now dwells, in Brandywine Hundred, New-Caſtle county, about one mile from Wilmington, and about half a mile from three convenient mills, containing about 300 acres, whereof about 50 acres is drained marſh, well embanked and improved; and about 40 acres of the upland is now very good mowable meadow, and the whole extreamly natural to graſs, and anſwers well for grain; there is a large and convenient brick dwelling-houſe thereon, two ſtories high, having four rooms on a floor, with fire-places in each, beſides a large brick kitchen; there is alſo a large frame barn, with ſtables and cow-houſe adjoining, a large ſpring-houſe, granary and chair-houſe, a large and rich garden, a large young orchard of beſt grafted fruit, and a remarkable large orchard of fineſt peach trees; the whole being in good repair. For terms apply to the owner,

T. b. c. JONATHAN HULINGS.

GEORGE WILLIAMSON,

From Ireland, but laſt from London, hereby informs the public,

THAT he has, at a great expence, furniſhed himſelf with all neceſſary utenſils and conveniences for dreſſing of flax and hemp, according to the moſt approved method uſed in the linen manufactories in Europe, and has for ſale, at his ſtore in Market-ſtreet, five doors above the Coffee-houſe, a great variety of dreſſed flax, and ſhoe hemp. And as this kind of manufactory is become not only the grand intereſt of this province, but of importance to almoſt every particular family in it, he hopes his endeavours, which ſo evidently tend to the public utility, will meet with general encouragement by all who are diſpoſed to introduce a manufacture ſo neceſſary as is that of linen, all of whom may depend on being ſupplied with flax and hemp of the beſt quality, and dreſſed to as great perfection as any in the old countries. Alſo tow of every quality, and undreſſed flax, may be bought at the loweſt prices, at the ſame place. Tbc.

To be LETT or SOLD,

A GRIST MILL, on Pennypack creek, in the Manor of Moreland, about 14 miles from Philadelphia; the mill is in good repair, with two pair of ſtones, two boulting mills, and hoiſting works, all going by water, a large ſtone mill-houſe, and a ſtone dwelling-houſe and plantation of 100 acres of land, or any leſs quantity, as may beſt ſuit the perſon renting or buying the ſame. Any perſon inclining to view the premiſes, and know the terms, may apply to the ſubſcriber, living in Abington townſhip, Philadelphia county. JOSHUA MORRIS. 5s. tbc

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